

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering stem. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT



Flowering branches. Photographer Don Wood, near Nowra



Flowering shrub. Australian Plant Image Index, photographer Murray Fagg, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra, ACT

Common name

Wallaby weed, sticky daisy bush

Family

Asteraceae

Where found

Forest and **woodland**. Coast, ranges, and the eastern edge of the tablelands. Occasionally elsewhere. Doubtfully **naturalised** in the ACT.

Notes

Shrub to 2.5 m high. Stems sticky. Leaves **alternating** up the stems or opposite each other, scattered, 1.5–10 cm long, 2–11 mm wide, tips pointed, without a **mucro**; margins **entire** and flat, upper surface sticky and green, lower surface grey- or white-**felted**. Flower **heads** with 8–21 white '**petals**' and cream or yellow centres, 8–17 mm in diameter overall. Flower heads stalked, single or in clusters, at the bases of the leaves. Flowering: July–November

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Olearia-stickyula> (accessed 29 January, 2021)

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